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AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS
of this Company will be held in the
City Hall, Queen's Road, Hongkong, at
11 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 8th Decem-
ber, 1902, for the purpose of discussing
and, if thought fit, approving the Propo-
sals for construction of a new
Dock as contained in the Circular to Share-
holders dated the 22nd September, 1902.
The Transfer Books of the Company will
be CLOSED from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in-
clusive on the 8th December.

By Order of the Board,

GEO. A. CALDWELL,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, November 26, 1902. 2434

THE DAIRY FARM CO., LD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY
MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the
above Company will be held at the Com-
pany's Town Depot, 2 Lower Albert
Road, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 8th
day of December, 1902, at 3 o'clock p.m.,
for the purpose of presenting the Report of
the Directors and Statement of Accounts to
the 31st July, 1902.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 25th
November, to the 8th December, 1902,
both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

S. A. SETH,
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONGKONG.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

SUIT No. 1449 of 1902.

PLAINTIFF—CHAN TAM SHI.

DEFENDANT—LEUNG KENG TIN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a
Writ of Foreign Attachment returnable
on the 9th day of December, 1902,
against all the Property moveable or im-
moveable of the above named Defendant
within the Colony, has been issued in this
Suit pursuant to the Provisions of Section
467 of "The Hongkong Code of Civil
Procedure".
Dated this 15th day of November 1902.
JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,
Plaintiff's Solicitors.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONGKONG.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

SUIT No. 1450 of 1902.

PLAINTIFF—LUNG KAM CHEUNG.

DEFENDANT—LEUNG KENG TIN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a
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Burma Petroleum.

Calcutta, Nov. 11.—The Bengal Chamber of Commerce publishes a letter dated today, refusing the request of the Standard Oil Trust agents to intervene with the Government on behalf of the Trust over its application for a Burma petroleum concession.

Mr. Libby, of the Standard Oil Company, of America, has addressed an important communication to the Bengal Chamber of Commerce concerning the Government's discrimination against the Standard Oil Company and American petroleum, and solicits attention to an international episode of commerce, the gravity of which extends far beyond the immediate corporate or financial issues involved.

Mr. Libby submits the text of a communication he addressed to the Government of India during his visit to Simla last July, in the course of which he says that about two years ago the attention of the Standard Oil Company was specially and frequently called to the possibility of rapidly increasing the petroleum production of Burma; and at a period when our entire commerce east of the Suez Canal was under careful observation the Standard Oil Company decided to venture a conservative investment in the petroleum industry of Burma, not with the intention at the outset to take any part in production, but merely to construct a refinery and purchase crude oil from the many large or small producers and then allow the enterprise to maturely develop.

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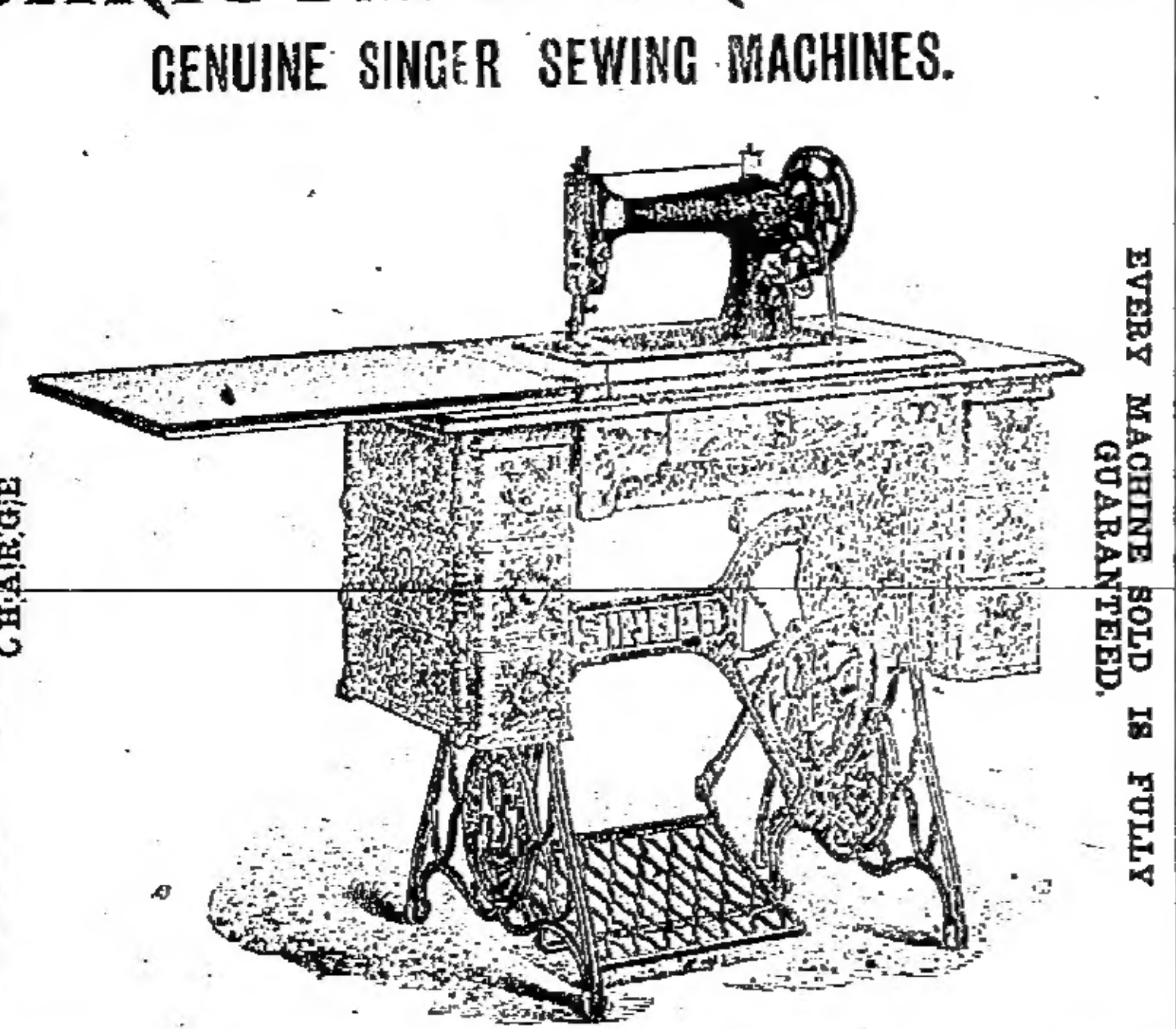
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Albatross	11,000	16	18,000	Capt. Charles Windham, C.V.O.	Wharfedale
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Albatross	9000	12	13,000	Captain F. G. Stopford	Singapore
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Albatross	12,550	16	13,500	Lieut.-Com. G. C. Hardy	Shanghai
Albatross	275	6	4000	Comdr. J. D. Daintree	Hongkong
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Albatross	1015	6	1400	Comdr. W. H. Nicholson	Hankow
Albatross	3600	6	7000	Capt. Harry C. Reynolds	Shanghai
Albatross	836	6	650	Captain Morris H. Smyth	Hongkong
Albatross	980	10	1400	Com. D. St. A. Wake	Canton
Albatross	85	2	240	Lt.-Com. John P. Iren	Hongkong
Albatross	980	6	1400	Comdr. O. A. W. Hamilton	Hongkong
Albatross	85	2	240	Lieut.-Com. Murray Lockhart	Hankow
Albatross	250	6	6500	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Albatross	5600	11	9600	Captain Lewis Dayly	Hongkong
Albatross	4450	6	—	Comdr. Robinson	Hongkong
Albatross	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. R. W. Dalgety	Wessing
Albatross	383	3	200	Lieut. Forbes	Xmas Islands
Albatross	980	10	1400	Lt.-Comdr. Ernest C. Hardy	Hongkong
Albatross	620	—	450	Lt.-Com. O. Mackenzie, D.S.O.	Shanghai
Albatross	360	6	5900	Lieut.-Com. Hugh Somerville	Hongkong
Albatross	160	2	550	Lieut.-Com. Chislett	Shanghai

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Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Description.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported
Kaiser Karl VI	Austrian cruiser	6250	20	12,800	Captain Dredger	Nanking
Alonetto	French gunboat	300	—	—	Lieut. A. Belloy	Shanghai
Argus	French gunboat	—	—	—	Capt. Crespin	Canton
Aspide	French gunboat	475	3	450	Commander Journet	Saigon
Avalanche	French gunboat	580	—	—	Lieut. Fide	Canton River
Bengali	French cruiser	4005	19	9000	Capt. Lefevre	Haiphong
Bugeaud	French gunboat	690	—	—	Commander Louel	Nanking
Comete	French gunboat	8114	14	13,500	Commander Leamy	Haiphong
Decidue	French flag-ship	3729	10	9000	Captain Fournet	Shanghai
Desaix	French cruiser	1250	6	2200	Captain Serris	Hongkong
Desaix	French gunboat	470	—	—	Capt. Le Gollieur	Woussing
Desaix	French gunboat	3688	14	6500	Capt. Bécue	Tonkin
Desaix	French gunboat	9437	8	6071	Capt. Hurst	Saigon
Desaix	French cruiser	1800	—	—	Captain Sebuc	Yangtze
Desaix	French gunboat	—	—	—	Captain Bonifoy	Shanghai
Desaix	French gunboat	—	—	—	Capt. Vincent	Kobe
Desaix	French gunboat	—	—	—	Captain Mornet	Saigon
Desaix	French gunboat	—	—	—	—	Shanghai
Desaix	French gunboat	—	—	—	—	Yangtze
Desaix	French gunboat	—	—	—	Captain Blondel	Along Bay
Desaix	French gunboat	—	—	—	—	Canton
Desaix	French gunboat	400	4	441	Comdr. Villeneuve	Saigon
Desaix	German gunboat	1600	8	2900	Comdr. von Bassewitz	Kiautschow
Desaix	German flag-ship	11,000	36	14,000	Captain Friedrich	Woussing
Desaix	German gunboat	1800	8	—	Comdr. Berger	Hongkong
Desaix	German cruiser	6000	20	10,000	Capt. Paschen	Shanghai
Desaix	German cruiser	6000	20	10,000	Capt. Derzowski	Shanghai
Desaix	German gunboat	1000	10	1300	Lieut.-Commander Stamer	Singapore
Desaix	German gunboat	900	10	1300	—	Kobe
Desaix	German gunboat	850	10	—	Comdr. Wuthmann	Yangtze
Desaix	German gunboat	1120	8	1500	Commander Hillbrand	Singapore
Desaix	German gunboat	1600	8	2800	Comdr. Hoffmann	Nanking
Desaix	German gunboat	900	10	1300	Comdr. Schradt	Hongkong
Desaix	German gunboat	—	—	—	Comdr. von Weiss	Shanghai
Desaix	German gunboat	—	—	—	—	Shanghai
Desaix	Italian cruiser	2900	10	6843	Captain John Boet	Shanghai
Desaix	Italian cruiser	4583	16	10,543	Captain Botti	Woussing
Desaix	Italian cruiser	2550	10	7000	Captain Canale	Shanghai
Desaix	Italian cruiser	4500	14	6820	Captain Zezi	Shanghai
Desaix	Portuguese gunboat	720	—	—	Captain d'Azevedo	Macao
Desaix	Portuguese gunboat	600	—	—	Capt. F. J. Barboza Leal	Hongkong
Desaix	Russian cruiser	9000	18	8000	Captain Stemann	Hakodate
Desaix	Russian gunboat	810	6	730	Comdr. Guinter	Vladivostok
Desaix	Russian cruiser	2800	5	4700	Comdr. Gramatshiko	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian gunboat	1050	8	1150	Comdr. Zolovsky	Newchwang
Desaix	Russian gunboat	900	9	3500	Comdr. Yuriev	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Zagarsky	Shanghai
Desaix	Russian battleship	12,364	44	14,500	Captain Jensen	Nagasaki
Desaix	Russian gunboat	1000	6	1000	Comdr. Shumov	Hankow
Desaix	Russian gunboat	1213	7	1600	Comdr. Novakovsky	Nanking
Desaix	Russian gunboat	1224	7	1400	Commander Muraviev	Vladivostok
Desaix	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Vasiliev	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian gunboat	12,374	16	14,500	Captain Koroleff	Nagasaki
Desaix	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,000	Captain Jankovitch	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,000	Captain Ozeroff	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian cruiser	1334	10	1750	Comdr. Kharvinsky	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian protected cruiser	12,300	32	17,000	Captain Segelrennoff	Vladivostok
Desaix	Russian protected cruiser	10,923	26	13,250	Capt. Matusovich	Nagasaki
Desaix	Russian battleship	10,980	16	10,000	Captain Serabrennikoff	Nagasaki
Desaix	Russian gunboat	950	—	1125	Lieut.-Comdr. Ivanoff	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian gunboat	1050	8	1125	Comdr. Ginter	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian gunboat	5500	27	20,000	Capt. Bahr	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian gunboat	900	9	3300	Comdr. Zagorianzky-Kissel	Port Arthur
Desaix	Russian cruiser	1250	6	1194	Comdr. Abramoff	Port Arthur
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	1000	10	1277	Commander Karl Rohrer	Manila
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	1159	8	1000	Commander C. G. Bowman	—
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	—	—	—	Lieut.-Comdr. J. M. Helm	Manila
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	186	—	—	Lieut.-Comdr. W. F. Halsey	Manila
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	1307	8	1988	Comdr. R. R. Ingersoll	Nanking
Desaix	U. S. flag-ship	11,500	41	10,000	Captain Henderson	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	19	2	750	Comdr. T. H. Stevens	Manila
Desaix	U. S. monitor	390	6	3000	—	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	13	6	550	Comdr. Drako	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. cruiser	429	4	624	Lieut.-Comdr. Sperry	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. flag-ship	82	24	17,401	Captain M. R. S. Mackenzie	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	100	6	800	Commander J. E. Selfridge	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. cruiser	1000	10	1115	Commander E. S. Frim	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	1307	8	1804	—	Amoy
Desaix	U. S. gunboat	1710	6	1801	Commander W. Swift	Amoy

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Auctions.
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Sundry Household Furniture, &c., at Messrs. Hargreaves & Hough's Sales Rooms.
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Japanese Curios, at Mr. V. I. Remedios' Sales Rooms.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, December 4.—Goods per *Bayern* undelivered after this date subject to rent.
SATURDAY, December 6.—2.30 p.m.—Auction of Japanese Curios, at Mr. Geo. P. Lamont's Sales Rooms.

MONDAY, December 8.—11 a.m.—Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., in the City Hall.
3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Dairy Farm Co., Ltd., at Company's Town Depot.

TUESDAY, December 9.—9.30 p.m.—Subscription Ball of the Ladies' Recreation Club, at the City Hall.

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DEATHS.

On the 25th November, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, CHARLES GUNTZ; aged 38 years.
On the 24th November, at No. 56, North Soochow Road, Shanghai, CHARLES BENTON QUENZER; aged 58 years.

At the General Hospital, Singapore, on the 19th November, JOHN McHARDY, Superintendent Shipwright, at the Keppel Harbour Section of Tanjong Pagar Dock Company's Works; aged 58 years.

The publication of this issue commenced at 6.30 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1902.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Hongkong Gun Club.

The postponed November competition for the Keewick Cup will take place on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

The Hongkong Dock Directorate.

We understand that the Hon. Robert Sheehan has resigned his seat on the Board of Direction of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Limited.

Attempted Suicide.

Captain Dawson, of the China Navigation steamer *Chingtu* which arrived this morning from Australia, reports that on the 11th November, a Chinese steamer passenger tried to commit suicide by jumping overboard at 11.30 p.m., but the ship was stopped and a boat sent away in charge of the second officer, who rescued the would-be suicide.

The Jovansen Case.

Justice was given at Yokohama on the 21st ult. in the charge of adultery brought by Mr Jovansen against his wife. The judgment convicts Mr Jovansen of being guilty of adultery with R. G. Hopkins, and sentences Mr Jovansen to six months' imprisonment and Hopkins to eight months' imprisonment. It has been practically decided by the accused parties to appeal against the conviction.

Punjom Mines.

The following is the result of the November crushing at the Punjom Mines. 190 tons mineralised ore crushed for 22 ozs. 2 dwts. 7 grains of gold and 615 tons surface ore for 88 ozs. 3 dwts. 8 grains—705 tons for a yield of 108 ozs., and average of 3 dwts. 1 grain per ton, valued at \$4800.

The following is an extract from a letter received from the mines to-day:—

Prospecting.—Murchison has discovered a reef about 3 feet thick, in Kalsampung Valley, and can get good prospects from the cap. We are trenching on it, and if the prospects continue we will put through a small trial crushing. The reef is well situated, being to great distance from the tramline, and a branch line if needed could be laid down with scarcely any preparation.

Death of Lieut. Luttrell, R.N.

The death is announced of Lieut. J. L. F. Luttrell, R.N., of the Royal yacht *Victoria and Albert*, after a short illness. The deceased officer, who was well-known in Hongkong and China, was about thirty years of age, and only went on sick leave the previous week. Some years ago, when serving in the cruiser *Northumberland*, he fell from aloft, sustaining severe injuries, and later, when on the China Station, he had a bad attack of fever. The primary cause of death was a recurrent attack of this fever. Entering the navy as a cadet in January, 1885, he was promoted to midshipman in August, 1887, to sub-lieutenant in September, 1891, and to lieutenant in December, 1893. While serving in the *Confusion* in China, he landed with the naval brigade for the advance to Peking. He was appointed to the new Royal yacht on September 25, 1901.

Legislative Council.

The following are the orders of the day for Thursday's meeting of the Legislative Council:—

1. First reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the making of By-laws by the Star Ferry Company, Limited.
2. Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend The Widows and Orphans' Pension Fund Amendment Ordinance, 1902 (No. 12 of 1902).
3. Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend The Chinese Hospital Incorporation Ordinance, No. 3 of 1876.
4. Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to repeal Ordinance No. 5 of 1902.
5. Committee on the Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the Law relating to Employers and Servants.
6. Committee on the Bill entitled An Ordinance relating to the Naturalization of Aliens.
7. Committee on the Bill entitled An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Public Health and to Buildings.

WHAT IS A COUGH?

A spasmodic effort to expel the mucus from the bronchial tubes. A cold causes a more abundant secretion of mucus, and when the lungs and bronchial tubes are inflamed, they are extremely sensitive to the irritation. Unless care is taken, the cold may result in pneumonia, which is swift and deadly. If the cold is a lingering one, the more leisurely but equally fatal consumption may set in. Do not neglect a cold or cough. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always cures and cures quickly. For sale by All Dealers; WATKINS Ltd., General Agents.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

New South Wales has beaten Queensland in Inter-State Cricket by 77 runs.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has ordered ten large locomotives at Glasgow.

The goods saved from the late great fire at Yokohama brought over 80,000 yen at auction.

Mr Fred Philipson Stow, of London, has subscribed £10,000 towards the foundation of a South African College.

Assistant Surgeon A. J. Pollen, I.M.S., receives a step in promotion in recognition of his services in China.

Mr E. H. Burrows, lately Registrar of the Supreme Court, Shanghai, is now Secretary of the Great Northern Railway Co., England.

Thirty-eight lives were lost in the wreck of the *Elginville* included in the vessel's cargo was gold bullion of the value of £17,000.

There were 212 European and 77 Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library, and 49 European and 2,068 visitors to the Museum during the week ending the 25th Nov.

The former site of the Club Concordia at Koke, adjoining the Oriental Hotel, has been bought by the Hotel Co. for 29,000 yen, and the Company will build there a first-class three-storey hotel.

Mr E. M. Dowson (Trinity) has been elected Captain of the Cambridge University Cricket Club for next season, vice Mr E. R. Wilson. Mr L. V. Harper (Christ's) is the new Hon. Secretary, and the Assistant Treasurer will be Mr F. B. Wilson (Trinity).

Perjury's Price.

A Chinese detective, giving evidence in an opinion case before Mr Hazeland, today committed palpable perjury. In order to prove his case he told the Court that Police-constable 114 was in a cubicle of the house where the opium was found, whereas the constable was outside, at the time. When cautioned, he persisted in the perjury; so Mr Hazeland told him to pay \$30 or go to jail for three months.

Serious Allegation against 'Taiyuan.'

While at anchor near Cape Moreton on the 11th inst., during a storm, the steamer *Lady Musgrave* was run into by a steamer supposed to be the *Taiyuan*. The *Lady Musgrave* was cut nearly down the water's edge butly shifting the cargo she was kept free from water, and returned to port. Two of the *Lady Musgrave's* crew clambered aboard the *Taiyuan*; which it is alleged made no attempt to see if help was needed.

'Kwong Chow' Launched.

The River Steamer *Kwong Chow* was successfully launched on Monday evening at 3 p.m. when the weather was all that could be desired, and in striking contrast to the heavy wind which prevented her launch on Sunday evening. We understand that the steam trials will take place shortly, the vessel being launched with Engines and Boilers on board all ready for steam. After the launch, Messrs Bailey and Murphy entertained the Owners and their friends on board, the usual toasts being duly honoured. The launching weight of the *Kwong Chow* was 530 tons; the heaviest launch we believe so far in the Colony. The Vessel is designed for the Hongkong-Canton run, and is fitted with Electric Light throughout.

The Atlantic Shipping Combine.

It is announced in Liverpool—that the following figures represent the purchase price of the White Star Line:—The Line is owned by the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company, and the Shares are of £1000 each. For each Share the holder is to receive in cash from the American Combine the sum of £1413.18s. 3d., together with Preference Shares bearing interest at 6 per cent. to the value of £8713 1s. 4d., and Ordinary Shares to the value of £3556 10s. 8d. This makes a total of £14,213 10s. 3d. for each £1000 Share. There is to be deducted from each Share the sum of £52 8s., which is to go to a fund for compensation to the officials of the White Star Line. The net sum to be received by each Shareholder is therefore £14,265 18s. 3d. The total amount given for the White Star Line is £10,699,436, of which £3,147,236 is payable in cash, £5,034,800 in Preference Shares of the new combination, and £2,517,400 in the Common Stock of the Company. On December 1, at Mr Morgan's office, Old Broad-street, the new Atlantic Shipping Combine was to complete the purchase of the different Companies concerned in the amalgamation. The Shipping Combine will be managed on this side by a British Committee, consisting of Sir Clinton Dawkins, Mr Bruce Ismay, Mr W. J. Pirrie, and Mr Widdling. Mr Bruce Ismay will continue to be Managing Director of the White Star steamers, while Mr Widdling will have immediate charge of the Leyland, Dominion, and American steamers.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Football.

Last night, 'A' team of the Hongkong F.C. played a team of officers from the *Argonaut*. The sailors won by 3 goals to 1.

Russia and Afghanistan.

Lord George Hamilton, in reply to a question, said that he has no information regarding the report about Russian trade overtures to Afghanistan.

When Silver is Valuable.

It may be some consolation to Far Easterners to read that at a sale of silver plate by Messrs Foster, at their rooms in Pall-mall on the 29th October, an old English sugar caster sold at the rate of 29 per ounce.

The India Office.

The London correspondent of the *Indian Daily News*, telegraphing on the 9th instant, states that it is rumoured that Lord George Hamilton will remain at the India Office, Earl Percy receiving another appointment as soon as the first opportunity offers.

The Water Supply.

At Thursday's meeting of the Legislative Council, the Hon. G. W. F. Playfair will ask the following questions:—

(1) Would the Director of Public Works give some explanation of the inequalities of the intermittent system with special reference to Queen's Garden and the higher levels of the Peak—why very many houses, which ought to get the full supply for the advertised period, get little or no water and even that little at a most insufficient pressure?

(2) Why the Water Accounts for 30th September are not yet out?

'Magda' as she is Played.

To say that Saturday night's performance of *Magda* was in every respect equal to the elaborately-staged versions of Madame Sarah Bernhardt or Mrs Patrick Campbell would be rank hyperbole; to refuse it a high place amongst the best 'travelling' interpretations we have sampled would be as scintillant an injustice. It had one or two really brilliant flashes; a good many features of more than average brightness; seldom did the light show palpable signs of anything like real worklessness and never was it actually extinguished. The playing of the pieces was set in a far loftier artistic plane than that attained in either *The Royal Divorce* or *The Lady of Obedience*. Pride of place must be given to Mr Norval McGregor's Schwartz. The character of the *Opel* is an exceedingly difficult to fill. To use popular language, he is a selfish old man, as proud as a peacock, who thinks that he has been privileged by Providence to rule his daughter after the iron fashion of a German Colonel with his troops. Magda teaches him the error of his ways by a little introduction of the mire of life in which Hermann Suderman like his master Henrik Ibsen sucks poetry and moral pointers. Mr McGregor plays the part humanely. The old gentleman is not without his weaknesses, and the part not without its comedy—mark the grotesque if pathetic attempts to hold the pistol with which he would restore his daughter's honour. The 'stroke', which caps the final climax was a masterpiece. We have seen Irving, Tree, and Alexander less true to nature in a somewhat similar scene. It was superb, and the audience felt it and lost themselves in a whole-hearted outburst of enthusiasm. We believe we are correct in saying that it was Mr McGregor's first appearance in the part. If so, we wish him many such successes. He excels his creators: Miss Waldorf, although evidently suffering from a slight cold, gave her audience a Magda built upon the best pattern. In her unmaking of the Councilor she was all that Magda should be. Her transition from the angry accuser to the woman melted in tears was magnificent. We have never enjoyed her act so well. As the *lady-aunt*, Mrs Dow-Corrier played with the charm which clothes everything she does. Mr Wilson Forbes was the Mephisto of the piece, the crafty Von Keller. It was, after Mr McGregor's Schwartz, the most perfect success of the whole performance. Make-up was true to the already-established tradition; his manner and his conversation proclaimed the German, whom much intercourse with France and French ways have French-polished. He could hardly improve his reading of the part. Mr Bayfield was the one rift in the lute. He is an exceedingly conscientious actor, and capable of doing far better as the Pastor. Judging from Saturday night, his Hoffmeyer has many flaws which should be at once seen to. Less of the cringing mock-meekness which suggest Uriah Heep or the Rev. Nathaniel Snuggly would be a decided improvement. The Pastor is supposed to be as manly as he is religiously precise. This, 'in friendship's name.' For the rest, everything was satisfactory.

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TELEGRAMS.

[CHINA MAIL SPECIAL SERVICE.]

THE 'CHINGTU' AFFAIR.

CHINESE SENTENCED FOR CONSPIRACY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SYDNEY, December 1.

The Chinamen who brought the false accusation of murder against Archibald Kerr, chief engineer, and Charles Pen-gelly, second engineer, of the China Navigation steamer *Chingtu*, have been tried for conspiracy.

The first fireman was convicted and sentenced to five years' imprisonment, with hard labour, and two others to three years' imprisonment.

[On the 28th November, we published the details of this case. This conviction and sentence of the perjurers will give general satisfaction to the friends of the falsely-accused engineers.—Ed., C.M.]

[REUTERS SERVICE.]

DE WET'S BOOK ON THE WAR.

LOSANOS, November 30, 1902.

De Wet's book on the late war in South Africa, which is dedicated to 'my fellow subjects of the British Empire', has been published. It is severely critical, but not acrimonious. It disparages Lord Roberts' generalship, which it declares was lacking in foresight: General Buller had to face by far the more difficult task. It apparently respects Lord Kitchener, but dubs his block-house system the block-head system. It ridicules the British scouting. It alleges British barbarities against women, children, and the aged, and, although cases are not specified, it says proof can be produced in hundreds. It concludes with an appeal to the Boers to be loyal to Great Britain.

CRICKET.

ARMY ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT & CIVIL SERVICE C.C.

Played at the Happy Valley on Saturday, 29th ult., resulting in a victory for the Soldiers by 7 wickets and 115 runs. The Civilians were without the services of Lambie, their best bowler. Lillywhite's 72 was marred by two chances at point: Cook 5 for 16 and Bradford 4 for 16 respectively bowled well. Scores:—

ORDNANCE.
Rutter, c Craig, b Smyth 1
Lillywhite, run out 76
Skinner, b Carter 29
McGibbon, not out 20
Cook, not out 5
Extras 13

CIVIL SERVICE C.C.
Brett, b Bradford 1
Woolley, b Cook 1
Smith, b Bradford 1
Carter, b Cook 1
Barrington, c Burgess, b Bradford 1
Knight, c McGibbon, b Cook 0
Craig, c Rutter, b Cook 21
Hogarth, run out 1
O'Connell, not out 6
Allen, b Bradford 1
Simmons, b Cook 1
Extras 3

Total (for 3 wickets) 149

Total 34

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE STAR FERRY LAUNCHES.

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.'

Hongkong, December 2.

SIR,—The following notice has been posted on the Star Ferry Co.'s Launches and at their Ticket Office:—

'The Star Ferry Co., Ltd.,
Hongkong, 20th Nov. 1902.

'On Theatre nights, in future, the last ordinary trip from Hongkong will be made as usual at 5 minutes past 12, and an additional trip will be made 10 minutes after the performance is finished but not before 12.45 a.m.'

At 12.15 this morning, I arrived at the Ferry Co.'s Wharf, Hongkong, and was informed (by one of the Co.'s employees) that the last launch had left. There was also a lady and gentleman in the same predicament as myself, with no alternative but to cross in a 'sampán', which we did.

I am of opinion that if the Co. advertise launches to run at certain times they should give ample notice of any alteration, but as far as I can gather no notice whatever was given of their intention not to run the 12.25 this morning; in fact before leaving Kowloon last evening (8.10) I was informed by the man at the gate that the late launch would run as usual.

Hoping that the publication of this letter will be the means of preventing others being so inconvenienced,—I am, &c.,
J. C. LOWE.

The Regatta.

We withhold our 'Rowing Notes' this week, as we hear a slight hitch has arisen over the Regatta. We regret to hear of dissensions which should have been avoided were all imbued by a love of sport, but at the meeting of the Joint Committee of the rival rowing clubs to-night it is hoped a *modus vivendi* will be found and all friction avoided.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by the Hongkong Observatory:—

On the 2nd at 12 p.m. The barometer has risen in the extreme North, fallen over Japan.

Pressure is low over E. Japan and high, apparently, over N. China.

The monsoon will probably freshen in the Formosa Channel. Moderate monsoon over the N. part of the China Sea.

Forecast:—moderate N.E. winds, fair.

SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

(Before His Honour Mr. Justice Gurney, Chief Justice.)

Tuesday, December 2, 1902.

'TANSEN' IN COURT.

'Tansen', described as 'a sparkling beverage, the product of a natural mineral spring', was exhibited in court in a dozen different samples, and its trade marks discussed by counsel. It was a motion on the part of Es Shu and Co. to discharge an ex parte injunction granted J. C. Wilkinson of Japan, restraining the first-mentioned firm, who are agents for Ichimichi & Co., of Takamatsu, from using the name 'Tansen' in description of their bottled mineral water sold under that name, and also from using a label which plaintiff alleged was protected by registration. The argument of the legal points at issue occupied the court during the forenoon. They are of considerable importance, the application in this Colony of a decision of the Japanese Court generalising the word 'Tansen', being raised.

Mr Pollock, K.C., instructed by Mr Wilkinson (Messrs Wilkinson and Grist), appeared for Mr Wilkinson, and the defence was upheld by Mr Slade, instructed by Mr F. B. Deacon (Messrs Deacon and Hastings).

Mr Slade grounded his application on the fact that when the ex parte injunction was granted the defendant was not represented in court and had no opportunity of disproving the statements upon which the plaintiff relied, and upon the strength of which the Chief Justice made the order of restraint. The label to the use of which by the defendants the plaintiff took exception, was stated in affidavit to be protected by registration. As a matter of fact that particular label was not registered. The plaintiff sought a remedy of the word 'Tansen'. The Japanese court had decided that the word had a general, not a particular significance. The plaintiff had 'Registered Trade Mark' on the label, which was not registered. It was this more fact left him open to criminal prosecution under the Merchandise Marks Act.

Mr Pollock—My friend, perhaps, knows more about the facts than I do, but I was under the impression that it was registered in a new form.

His Lordship—I understand that there are two trade marks slightly different.

Mr Pollock—Yes. Of course, I only ventured the remark because my friend said we were liable to criminal prosecution.

His Lordship—What the trade mark was made I understand that Tansen was a special description of plaintiff's own, not a thing common to the trade.

Mr Slade—Quite so, my lord. That is why we move now. We say that your *ex parte* order was made under a misapprehension, which was erroneous. In Japan Tansen is as common as soda water is in England.

Mr Pollock submitted that

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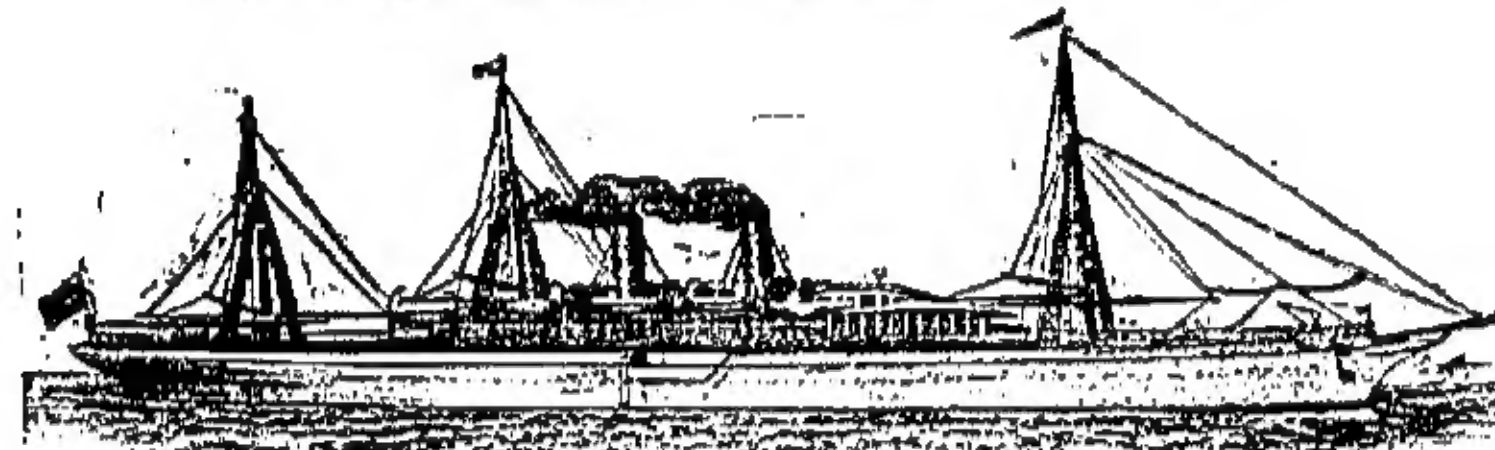
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 9th Inst., will be subject to re-shipment. Packages must be left in the Godowns and Notice of same sent to this Office before the 12th Dec., or Claims in connection therewith will not be recognized.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, December 1, 1902. 2476

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, December 1, 1902. 2477

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Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 o'clock, to-day.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 4th Dec., will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Thursday, the 4th Dec., at 9.30 a.m.

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Hongkong, November 27, 1902. 2449

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Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they will be recognized. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

E. A. HEWITT, Superintendent.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 5th December, or they will not be recognized.

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Butcher Meat.

Beef sidecut & prime cut—Mei Lung Pa ...	1b 10
" Corned—Ham Ngau Yuk ...	16
" Roast—Shiu ...	16
" Soup—Tong Yuk ...	12
" Steak—Ngau Yuk Pa ...	16
" Sausages—Ngau Yuk Chaung ...	15
Ballock's Brains—Know ... per set	8
" Tongue fresh—Ngau Li ...	each 45
" Corned—Ham Ngau Li ...	50
" Head—Ngau Tau ...	50
" Heart—Ngau Sum ...	1b. 8
" Hump, Salt—Ngau Kin ...	12
" Feet—Ngau Kerk ...	each 7
" Kidneys—Ngau Yiu ...	8
" Tail—Ngau Mei ...	16
" Liver—Ngau Con ...	1b. 8
" Tripe (undressed)—Ngau To ...	5
Calves' Head and Feet—Ngau-chai-tau-kak, set	75
Mutton Chop—Yeung Pui Kwat ...	1b. 22
" Leg—Yeung Pui Kwat ...	22
" Shoulder—Yeung Shau ...	18
Pigs' Chittlings—Chi chong ...	7
" Feet—Chi Kerk ...	12
" Fry—Chi Chak ...	12
" Head—Chi Tau ...	12
" Heart—Chi Sum ...	each 9
" Kidneys—Chi Yiu ...	6
" Liver—Chi Con ...	1b. 21
" Pork—Chi Pui Kwat ...	18
" Corned—Ham Chu Yuk ...	18
" Leg—Chu Pei ...	15
" Fat or Lard—Chu Yau ...	15
Sheeps' Head and Feet—Yeung Tau Kerk set	50
" Heart—Yeung Sum ...	each 6
" Kidneys—Yeung Yiu ...	10
" Liver—Yeung Con ...	1b. 22
Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai ...	16
Suet, Beef—Sang Ngau Yau ...	18
" Mutton—Sang Yeung Yau ...	22
Veal—Ngau Chai Yuk ...	15
" Sausages—Ngau Chai Yuk Tong ...	15

Poultry.

Poultry.		生	
Chicken,—Kai Chai ...	...	24	鷄
Capons, Large, Small,—Sin Kai ...	...	26	鐵鷄
Ducks,—A ...	...	20	班鴨
Doves,—Pan Kau ...	each	—	班鳩
Eggs, Hen,—Kai Tan ...	per dozen	20	鷄蛋
Fowls, Canton,—Kai ...	...	20	縐毛雞
" Hainan,—Hoi Nam Kai ...	...	20	海鴨
Geese,—Ngor ...	...	22	鴨
Geese, Wild Sh'ai,—Sheung Hai Yee Ngai, pair—	...	—	上海鴨
Musk Deer,—Wong Keng ...	each	—	黃麝
Hare, Shanghai,—Tu Chai ...	...	55	兔
Partridge,—Che Khoo ...	...	55	鷓鴣
Pheasant,—Shan Kai ...	pair \$1.40	—	鸕山白口
Pigeons, Canton,—Pak Kup ...	each	22	山白口
" Hothow,—Hoi How Pak Kup ...	...	50	海鴨
" Quail,—Un-Chun ...	each	11	鴨
Rice Birds,—Wo Fa Cheuk ...	dozen	—	鴨
Snipe,—Sa-Chui ...	...	20	沙鴨
Turkeys,—Cock,—Phor Kai Kung ...	...	53	火鴨
" Hen,—" Na	50	火鴨
Wild Ducks, Sh'ai,—Shaohai Sui-ai	pair \$1.20	—	上海鴨
Teal,—Sui Ai Chai,	40	鴨
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